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SUBJECT: FOREIGN MINISTRY REACTION TO PRESIDENT'S STATEMENT ON  
DOMESTIC NUCLEAR POLICY

REF: (A) TOKYO 5112, (B) STATE 80344

1. REF. A GIVES MAJOR POINTS OF MEETING OF EMBOFFS WITH OKAWA  
TO OBTAIN INITIAL FOREIGN MINISTRY REACTION TO PRESIDENTIAL  
STATEMENT. THIS MESSAGE REPORTS FOLLOWING QUESTIONS ASKED BY  
OKAWA AND HIS DEPUTY, KOBAYASHI, FOR WHICH ANSWERS ARE BEING  
SOUGHT IN WASHINGTON:

2. A. HOW DOES USG RECONCILE STATEMENTS MADE BY PRESIDENT  
WITH INFO OBTAINED BY GOJ IN WASHINGTON TO EFFECT THAT APPLI-  
CATION OF ARTICLE 8C OF US-JAPAN BILATERAL AGREEMENT REMAINS  
TO BE NEGOTIATED?

B. OKAWA WAS PRESSED IN DIET BY LDP MEMBER HATANO, WHO  
IS STRONG SUPPORTER OF NPT. HATANO WANTS TO KNOW WHY JAPAN  
HAS ARTICLE 8C IN ITS BILATERAL TREATY WITH US BUT SOME OTHER  
COUNTRIES DO NOT. OKAWA WOULD LIKE TO BE ABLE TO RESPOND  
SOON AND AUTHORITATIVELY TO HATANO. CAN DEPT. FURNISH  
READILY AVAILABLE REFERENCE OR SPECIFIC ANSWER?

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C. CONCERNING FIFTH MAJOR POINT OF PRESIDENTIAL  
STATEMENT ON NEED FOR LEGISLATIVE STEPS TO PERMIT  
SIGNING OF URANIUM ENRICHMENT CONTRACTS, WHEN WILL  
LEGISLATION BE SUBMITTED, WHAT WILL BE ITS NATURE, AND  
WHY IS LEGISLATION REQUIRED?

D. WHAT IS NOW THE SIGNIFICANCE OF IMPENDING

APRIL 20 ENERGY POLICY STATEMENT? WILL IT HAVE ADDITIONAL NUCLEAR CONTENT, SUCH AS INTERNATIONAL NUCLEAR POLICY? WILL THERE BE SEPARATE INTERNATIONAL NUCLEAR POLICY STATEMENT ISSUED BEFORE APRIL 20 AS RUMORED PREVIOUSLY?

E. PRESIDENT MENTIONED THAT NUCLEAR PROLIFERATION WILL BE AN AGENDA AT MAY ECONOMIC SUMMIT. WILL THIS SUBJECT BE DISCUSSED AT SECOND PREPCON SCHEDULED FOR APRIL 25-26 IN WASHINGTON?

F. WILL US BRING UP NEW NUCLEAR POLICY AT FORTHCOMING LONDON NUCLEAR SUPPLIERS MEETING?

3. REF. B IS HELPFUL IN ANSWERING QUESTION (A) ABOVE. FURTHER SPECIFICS (CLASSIFIED IF NECESSARY) AND ANSWERS TO OTHER QUESTIONS WOULD BE USEFUL IN MAINTAINING DIALOGUE WITH FOREIGN MINISTRY.

4. REQUEST PERMISSION TO REMOVE STADIS CONTROL FROM THIS MSG. AND REF. B SO THAT USIS AND ERDA TOKYO CAN BE GIVEN INFO FOR BACKGROUND.  
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